





IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Dillard et al.

Attorney Docket No. 462-96-004

(HOOO-1-1013)

Serial No.: 08/861,989

Group Art Unit:

Filing Date: May 22, 1997

Examiner:

Carlson, Jeffrey D.

Title:

COPY PROTECTION FOR DATABASE UPDATES TRANSMITTED VIA

INTERNET

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Amendment Transmittal Α.

RECEIVED

NOV 0 6 2002

Transmitted with this letter is

an amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 and (1)

(2) a return postcard.

The claim fee for the amended claims is as follows:

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

-	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	5	Minus	20	=	0	x	\$9/18 =	0.00
Independent Claims		Minus	3	=	0	x	\$42/84 =	0.00
Three Month Extension of Time Fee							=	\$920

Total additional Fee for this Amendment \$920.00



PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

- 1 -

B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 501050. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Direct all communications to:

Robert R. Richardson, Esq. BLACK LOWE & GRAHAM^{PLLC} 816 Second Avenue Seattle, WA 98104 Phone: 206.381.3300

Phone: 206.381.3300 Fax: 206.381.3301

Email: Richardson@blacklaw.com

Respectfully submitted,

BLACK LOWE & GRAHAMPLLC

Robert R. Richardson Registration No. 40,143

Direct Dial: 360.662.0487

EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that this communication is being deposited with the United States Postal Service via Express Mail No. EL476259224US under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated below addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, BOX AMENDMENTS, Washington D.C. 20231.

Date of Deposit

Michelle Funston-Carman

25315

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

BLACK LOWE & GRAHAM ***

H000-1-1013TL01